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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, SF, WA, GW

SUBJECT: DEMARCHE TO SOUTH AFRICA ON NAMIBIA

REFS: (A) BONN 6236; (B) STATE 78517

1. WE COMMUNICATED SUBSTANCE OF REF B TO JUNG, ACTING  
DIRECTOR OF FOREIGN OFFICE DEPARTMENT FOR UNSC MATTERS,  
ON APRIL 9 (REPORTED REF A).

2. JUNG TELEPHONED TODAY, APRIL 12, TO REPORT THAT  
A CABLE HAS BEEN SENT TO THE FRG'S AFRICAN POSTS WITH  
THE FOLLOWING :

-- REVIEWING FOR THEM THE EVENTS DESCRIBED PARA 1 REF  
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-- INFORMING THEM THAT THE U.S. EMBASSY IN THE  
RESPECTIVE CAPITALS WOULD BE  
BRIEFING THE HOST GOVERNMENT ON THE  
CAPE TOWN DEMARCHE;

-- REQUESTING THE FRG AMBASSADORS TO CONTACT THEIR

U.S. COUNTERPARTS TO DISCUSS WHAT WAS BEING DONE;  
AND,

-- INSTRUCTING THEM TO AWAIT FURTHER GUIDANCE (TO  
FOLLOW SHORTLY) FROM BONN BEFORE MAKING ANY  
REPRESENTATIONS ON THEIR OWN.

3. JUNG SAID THE FOREIGN OFFICE WAS WILLING TO  
INSTRUCT ITS AFRICAN POSTS TO MAKE THE PARALLEL  
PRESENTATIONS BUT BELIEVED IT WAS ESSENTIAL THAT THESE  
EFFORTS BE COORDINATED AMONG FRENCH, BRITISH, CANADIAN,  
GERMAN AND U.S. REPRESENTATIVES IN AFRICAN CAPITALS  
SO AS NOT TO BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE. HE WAS CONCERNED  
THAT IN SOME OF SMALLER CAPITALS, SEPARATE  
PRESENTATIONS BY ALL FIVE WESTERN AMBASSADORS MIGHT BE  
"A LITTLE TOO MUCH."

4. IF IT IS AGREED THAT ALL FIVE WESTERN REPRE-  
SENTATIVES ARE TO MAKE MUTUALLY SUPPORTING  
REPRESENTATIONS, JUNG SAID GUIDANCE TO THAT EFFECT  
WOULD BE SENT IMMEDIATELY TO POSTS. HE WAS WAITING, THEREFORE,  
ONLY FOR CONFIRMATION THAT LONDON, PARIS, AND OTTAWA  
WOULD BE MAKING A SIMILAR EFFORT.

5. COMMENT: JUNG AND SOME OF HIS COLLEAGUES WERE BUSY  
IN THE OFFICE FOR MOST OF THE LONG EASTER WEEKEND OVER  
THIS AND "OTHER REQUESTS." IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT THE  
FOREIGN OFFICE HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH LONDON AND  
PARIS ON THIS MATTER. IN ANY EVENT, THE FRG WANTS TO  
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AVOID BEING OUT IN FRONT OF ITS EUROPEAN COLLEAGUES AND  
APPEARS TO BE AWAITING A CLEAR "GO" FROM THE FOUR OTHER  
CAPITALS.  
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